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In re Application of
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U.S. Application No. 09/914,282
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For: PROTECTED OPTICAL DISK AND
METHOD FOR PROTECTING AN
OPTICAL DISK

DECISION ON PETITION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(b)

This decision is in response to applicant's "Request for Reconsideration" filed 03 January 2003. In a decision dated 04 October 2002, applicant's petition under 37 CFR 1.47(b) to accept the application without the signature of inventor, Arnaud Fausse, was dismissed.

The petition for status under 37 CFR 1.47(b) is moot since the declaration filed 03 January 2003 with the present renewed petition was executed by the named inventor, the previous non-signing inventor, Arnaud Fausse. The declaration filed 03 January 2003 is acceptable under 37 CFR 1.497.

CONCLUSION

For the reasons above, the renewed petition is **DISMISSED** as MOOT. The application need not be returned to this Office for any further consideration of Rule 1.47 status and no such status should be indicated on this application file.

The application has an international filing date of 25 February 2000 under 35 U.S.C. 363 and a date of 03 January 2003 under 35 U.S.C. 371(c).

This application is being returned to the United States/Elected Office for processing in accordance with this decision.

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